GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
TRIBAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:4560
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INFRASTRUCTURAL SCHEMES IN TRIBAL AREAS
THAAWAR CHAND GEHLOT

Will the Minister of TRIBAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the amount sanctioned by the Union Government for infrastructural schemes inthe tribal areas during 1998-99, 1999-2000 and 2000-2001, State-wise and Scheme-wise;

(b) the names of the States which have not utilised the amount with in the stipulated time;

(c) whether Madhya Pradesh was allocated lesser amount under this scheme; and

(d) if so, the reasons therefor alongwith the criteria adopted for allocation of funds to various States?

Answer

MINISTER OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS (SHRI JUAL ORAM)

(a) and (b) A statement showing the amount released by the Union Government forinfrastructural development under Article 275 (1) of the Constitution during the years 1998-99 to 2000-2001 is at Annexure.

(c) & (d) The allocation to the States is based on the ratio of tribal population in the Stateto the total tribal population of all the States in the country.